

STRAIGHT FROM THE STATEHOUSE

MCGREEVEY BREAKS GROUND ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Joined by Assemblyman Jeff Van Drew and Senator James Cafiero, Governor McGreevey helped break ground on the new site for Atlantic Cape Community College in Cape May County.

"Education is the top priority of my Administration," said McGreevey. "Cape May County was the only county in New Jersey without a community college. The new facility will provide the area with greater opportunities in higher education."

The campus will be constructed on a 29-acre site on Cape May Court House. It will accommodate the equivalent of 744 full-time students or 1,488 part-time students and is projected to be opened in September 2004.

MCGREEVEY LAUNCHES KEY TRANSPORTATION INITIATIVES

Hudson-Bergen Light Rail Service to Historic Hoboken

Terminal: The Hudson-Bergen Light Rail launched in April 2000. It operates in Bayonne, Jersey City and Hoboken. Last weekend's launch signaled the completion of the first segment of the system (MOS-1) which connects it with the NJ TRANSIT system, private carrier bus services, the PATH system and New York Waterway ferry service.

New Montclair

Connection Rail Link: The MidTOWN DIRECT-Montclair will provide direct service to midtown Manhattan and downtown Newark. The



Governor McGreevey welcomes the new MidTOWN DIRECT-Montclair rail line.

Montclair Connection Project consolidates NJ TRANSIT's Montclair Branch and Boonton Line. It offers direct service to New York Penn Station as well as continued service to Hoboken.

CANCER INSTITUTE GAINS NATIONAL RECOGNITION

Governor McGreevey, Dr. William Hait and Senator Jon Corzine announced the designation of The Cancer Institute of New Jersey (CINJ) as a Comprehensive Cancer Center by The National Cancer Institute (NCI). This designation represents the highest ranking awarded to cancer

centers by the federal government.

"CINJ is one of the top cancer centers in the Nation, providing New Jerseyans with access to the most advanced cancer research and treatment in their home state," McGreevey said.